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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Re:

Application of Shinihi YOSHINO

NETWORK MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD OF MANAGING THE

SAME

Assignee: NEC CORPORATION

Our Ref. Q67921



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 30 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 10 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims		<u> </u>	20	=_		_ X	\$18.00	=	\$.00
Independent claims	2	<u> </u>	3			_ X	\$84.00	=	\$.00
Base Fee						_			\$740.00
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TOTAL FILING FEE								\$740.00	

Recordation of Assignment TOTAL FEE

\$780.00 A check for the statutory filing fee of \$740.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to

\$40.00

Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Japan

2000-400850

Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

December 28, 2000

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC Attorneys for Applicant

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